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8.9 – Percent Problems

Percent problems can be solved with multiplication or as a proportion.

To find 35% of 60

Multiplication

- Turn the percent into a decimal.
 - 35% is 0.35
- Multiply.
 - $0.35 * 60 = 21$

Proportion

Create a proportion.

35 % is 35:100

$$\frac{35}{100} = \frac{n}{60} \quad \text{Use the Stoney Method to solve!}$$

$$35 * 60 = 2100 \div 100 = 21$$

Practice using the Multiplication Method.

25% of 400 = _____

25% is _____

_____ * 400 = _____

20% of 300 = _____

20% is _____

_____ * 300 = _____

32% of 10 = _____

32% is _____

_____ * 10 = _____

5% of 500 = _____

20% is _____

_____ * 500 = _____

Practice using proportions

25% of 400 = _____

$$\frac{\quad}{100} = \frac{n}{400} \quad \text{Use the Stoney Method to solve!}$$

20% of 300 = _____

$$\frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{n}{\quad} \quad \text{Use the Stoney Method to solve!}$$

32% of 10 = _____

$$\frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{n}{\quad} \quad \text{Use the Stoney Method to solve!}$$

5% of 500 = _____

$$\frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{n}{\quad} \quad \text{Use the Stoney Method to solve!}$$

_____ NC sales tax is 6.75 %. Which of the following is the same as 6.75%?

- a. 675 b. 0.675 c. 0.0675 d. 0.00675